

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 56th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROP SUBCOMMITTEE ON LONG-RANGE PLANNING

Call to Order: By **CHAIRMAN ERNEST BERGSAGEL**, on January 6, 1999
at 8:00 A.M., in Room 317 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Ernest Bergsagel, Chairman (R)
Sen. Tom A. Beck, Vice Chairman (R)
Sen. J.D. Lynch (D)
Rep. Matt McCann (D)
Sen. Chuck Swysgood (R)
Rep. Tom Zook (R)

Members Excused: None.

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Cassandra Drynan, Committee Secretary
Jane Hamman, OBPP
Nan LeFebvre, Legislative Branch

Please Note: These are summary minutes. Testimony and
discussion are paraphrased and condensed.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing(s) & Date(s) Posted: **HOUSE BILL 9**-Cultural &
Aesthetic (C & A) Projects
grant requests, 1/6/99,
1/13/1999

Executive Action: None.

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 855-ARCHIE BRAY FOUNDATION

Mr. Josh Deweese, Resident Director of the Archie Bray Foundation
for the Ceramic Arts, gave a short presentation. Questions were
asked. **EXHIBIT(jlh03a01)** **EXHIBIT(jlh03a02)**.

{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 0.6 - 13.7}

HEARING ON HB 9 - C & A PROJECT GRANTS

Ms. Judy Ericksen, Chairman of the C & A Projects Advisory Committee, answered questions concerning discrepancies with recommended dollar amounts for C & A grants. A list of corrections was handed out, **EXHIBIT(jlh03a03)**. Questions were asked.

{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 13.9 - 24.6}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 856-ARTISTS GROUP

Mr. Kim DeLong, Director of the Artists Group, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.

{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 24.7 - 31.2}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 823-BROADWATER PRODUCTIONS
(GRANDSTREET THEATRE)

Ms. Marianne Adams, Theater School Director, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.

{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 32 - 38.3}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 886-DOWNTOWN HELENA BID

Mr. Paul Reichert, Executive Director of the Downtown Helena Business Improvement District, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked. **EXHIBIT(jlh03a04)** **EXHIBIT(jlh03a05)**

{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 38.6 - 49.7}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 864-HELENA ART CENTER

Ms. Carol Novotine, gave a short presentation on behalf of the Helena Art Center. Questions were asked. **EXHIBIT(jlh03a06)**

EXHIBIT(jlh03a07)

{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 49.9 - 55.8}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 865-HELENA PRESENTS, INC.

Mr. Joseph Franklin, Director of Helena Presents, the Myrna Lloyd Center, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.

EXHIBIT(jlh03a08)

Mr. Tim Speyer, President of the Board of Directors of the Myrna Lloyd Center, spoke in support of the request no. 865.

{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 56 - 64.2}

Mr. Mark Holt, Member of the Board of Directors of the Myrna Lloyd, spoke in support of request no. 865.

Mr. Bob Anderson, Member of the Board of Directors of the Myrna Lloyd Center, spoke in support of request no. 865.

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 1.7 - 5.4}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 826-HELENA SYMPHONY SOCIETY

Mr. John Munding, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Helena Symphony Society, gave a short presentation.

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 5.7 - 13.2}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 882-ART MUSEUM OF MISSOULA

Mr. Stephen Glueckert, Curator of Art for the Art Museum of Missoula, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 13.5 - 22}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 822-BITTERROOT RC & D AREA, INC.

Ms. Mary Yang, Hmong Case Manager for the Refugee Assistance Corporation in Missoula, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked. **EXHIBIT(jlh03a09)**

Ms. Carole Julius, Job Developer for the Refugee Assistance Corporation, spoke on behalf of request no. 822. Questions were asked.

Mr. Lue Yang, spoke in support of request no. 822.

Ms. Jennifer Gibson, spoke in support of request no. 822.

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 22.2 - 37.7}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 810-FIRST NIGHT MISSOULA

Ms. Jennifer Gibson, Vice President of the Board of Directors of First Night Missoula, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked. **EXHIBIT(jlh03a10)**

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 38.2 - 45.1}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 811-FIVE RIVERS FESTIVAL

Ms. Cinda Holt, President of the Montana Five Rivers Festival of Film, gave a presentation. Questions were asked.

EXHIBIT(jlh03a11)

Mr Mathew Cohn, Administrator of Travel Montana, spoke in support of request no. 811.

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 45.5 - 51.7}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 862-GARDEN CITY BALLET OF MONTANA

Ms. Jan Snow, Artistic Director of the Garden City Ballet Co., gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.

EXHIBIT(jlh03a12)

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 52 - 58.2}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 814-INTERNATIONAL CHORAL FESTIVAL, INC.

Mr. Doug Klein, President of the International Choral Festival Inc., gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.

EXHIBIT(jlh03a13)

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 58.4 - 63.8}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 830-MISSOULA CHILDREN'S THEATRE, INC.

Ms. Cinda Holt, Director of Development for the Missoula Children's Theater, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked. **EXHIBIT(jlh03a14)** **EXHIBIT(jlh03a15)**

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 64 -2:a:3.7}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 831-MISSOULA COMMUNITY ACCESS TELEVISION

Ms. Mary Canty, Co-Manager of Missoula Community Access Television & Project Director of the Montana Media Arts and Education Project, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked. **EXHIBIT(jlh03a16)** **EXHIBIT(jlh03a17)**

Ms Erin Houlihan, a student involved with MCAT, spoke in support of request no. 831.

Mr. Forrest Merrill, a student involved with MCAT, spoke in support of request no. 831.

{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 4.5 - 13.7}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 832-MISSOULA SYMPHONY ASSOCIATION

Ms. Caralee Blair, Executive Director of the Missoula Symphony Association, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.

{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 14 - 20.2}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 833-MISSOULA WRITING COLLABORATIVE

Ms. Sheryl Noethe and Ms. Kim Anderson, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.

{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 20.3 - 28.1}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 835-MONTANA COMMITTEE FOR THE HUMANITIES

Mr. Mark Sherouse, Executive Director of the Montana Committee for the Humanities, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked. **EXHIBIT(jlh03a18)** **EXHIBIT(jlh03a19)** **EXHIBIT(jlh03a20)**

{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 28.3 - 35.2}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 875-MONTANA TRANSPORT COMPANY

Ms. Karen Kaufman, Managing Director of the Montana Transport Company, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.

EXHIBIT(jlh03a21)

{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 35.4 - 41.6}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 876-MONTANANS FOR QUALITY TELEVISION

Mr. Joel Baird, President of the New Crystal Theater, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked. **EXHIBIT(jlh03a22)**

Ms. Mary Canty, answered questions and spoke on behalf of request no. 876.

{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 41.8 - 48.1}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 844-MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS, UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA

Ms. Sheila Steans, Chancellor of Western Montana College, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked. **EXHIBIT(jlh03a23)**
EXHIBIT(jlh03a24)

Ms. Maggie Mudd, Director of the Museum of Fine Arts, University of Montana, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.
{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 48.3 - 60.7}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 858-BOZEMAN SYMPHONY SOCIETY

Ms. Marilyn Tracz, Executive Director of the Bozeman Symphony Society, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.
{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 61.2-2:B:6.0}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO.839-MONTANA INDIAN ART & CULTURE ASSN.

Ms. Susan Stewart Medicine Horse, gave a short presentation on behalf of the Montana Indian & Art Culture Assn.. Questions were asked.
{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 6.5 - 14.6}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 840-MONTANA PERFORMING ARTS CONSORTIUM

Mr. Chas Cantlon, Vice President of the Montana Performing Arts Consortium, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.
{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 15.3 - 20.7}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 845-MUSEUM OF THE ROCKIES

Ms. Bonnie Sachatello-Sawyer, Division Head of the Museum of the Rockies, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.
{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 20.8 - 31}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 847-RATTLESNAKE PRODUCTIONS, INC.

Ms. Pamela Roberts, President of Rattlesnake Productions, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.

Mr. Ed Dobb, spoke in support of request no. 847.

Ms. Lynette Dobson, spoke on behalf of request no. 847.

{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 31.1 - 42.5}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 877-VIGILANTE PLAYERS, INC.

Ms. Joanne Eaton, Executive Director of the Vigilante Players Inc., gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.

{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 42.6 - 47.8}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 861-CUSTER COUNTY ART CENTER

Mr. Mark Browning, Executive Director of the Custer County Art Center, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.

{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 49 - 54.7}

HEARING ON C & A REQUEST NO. 829-MILES COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Mr. Mark Browning, Volunteer Co. Director of the Miles City Speakers Bureau, gave a short presentation. Questions were asked.

{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 54.9 - 57.9}

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 12:00 P.M.

REP. ERNEST BERGSAGEL, Chairman

CASSANDRA DRYNAN, Secretary

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